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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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J. Dorrell
Application No. 10/019,822
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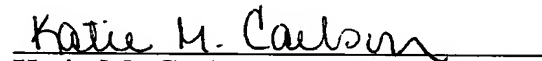
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Reply Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116
to the Examiner's Action of October 21, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action of October 21, 2005, applicants request respectfully that the above-identified application be amended as follows. Amendments to

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the claims begin on page 3 of this Reply. Remarks begin on page 7 of this Reply. This listing of Amendments to the Claims replaces the Amendments to the Claims as filed with the Reply, dated July 11, 2005, to the Examiner's Action of September 1, 2004.